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| <h2>AIR BOMBS FRIGHTEN<br/>VETERAN OF WARS</h2> <hr/> <p>Carries Gun to Shoot Phantom—Sent to Asylum<br/>For Observation.</p> | <h2>AUSTRIAN EMPEROR<br/>WASTES NO TIME</h2> <hr/> <p>Refuses to Remain at Banquet Table More Than<br/>Forty-five Minutes.</p> |
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ences of activity. Banks were buyers of Capital Traction 5's at 119½, a sharp advance in the last few days.

Consolidated Potomac 5's strong, at 123½. Columbia 5's sold at 103.

The market was devoid of interesting features. But little stock was offered, and buying orders could not be filled in the old favorites without a small advance in bid levels.

The Emperor of Austria detests lengthy dinners, according to an English writer, and under no circumstances will he spend more than forty-five minutes at table.

## TOURIST HAS RACE WITH KING ALFONSO

with a proprietor of a restaurant near the palace whither the dishes are taken as soon as they leave the dining room and where the Vienna gourmets flock when they hear Franz Josef is giving a state banquet. Some of the imperial guests have been known to visit this restaurant after leaving the palace in an honored but empty condition! King Edward is another

Vice President of Baltimore  
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rapid dinner. A scant hour is given by him to that meal, whether partaken at his own table or under one of his subject's roof trees. The service goes like lightning, though it is well known his majesty is "a good cheery man," and enjoys his dinner as well as most of his realm. But such ceremonious dinners are generally in mere form, and the wise guests take their wholesome food in peace at home and later "plays with his knife and fork" with the rest of his mighty company.

Of the many residents of Baltimore who have passed the summer in Europe probably none attained the distinction of Samuel C. Rowland, vice president of the International Trust Company, who, while motoring in Spain, met King Alfonso, of the land of Cervantes. In fact, he met the King three times.

—Boston Herald.

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**TOUCHED BEFORE.**

"Say, old man," began Borrowoughs, lend me your ear for a while, will you?"

"I'm a little dubious of this King business," said Mr. Rowland, laughing.

"My friend," replied Wise, shrewdly suspecting a touch, "I'd gladly lend you both of them; then I wouldn't be able to hear you ask me to lend you anything else."—The Catholic Standard and Times.

"Yes," assented Mr. Rowland. "And which way ahead?"

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"Well, we were ahead at first, but the King passed us. Then somehow we began to gain on him—whether my son, Harvey, who was driving, opened the throttle a little I am hardly prepared to say. At all events, we gained on him slowly and finally passed him."

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"And then?"

"Most persistent King I ever saw," said Mr. Rowland, seriously. "In the following rifle his machine touched the ground only three times by actual count.

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According to Mr. Rowland, the rival autos were within talking distance for about four miles, and time went quickly

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on that distance. Mr. Howland and his family were in a 50-70 touring car, and King Alfonso was in a machine of another make and about the same horsepower.—Baltimore Sun.

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Here, for example, is the case of George Randolph, born in a little mining camp somewhere in the interior of British Columbia, who had never seen

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The sixty-ninth regular quarterly dividend of 1 3/4% has been declared on the capital stock of The Washington Loan and Trust Company, payable November 1, 1909, when checks for such dividend will be mailed to all stockholders.

a woman until he stepped aboard a steamer bound for Seattle. He is eighteen years old. His mother died when he was a baby and he has since lived alone with his father in the wilderness of the north.

Imagine the comedy that can come out of this; the tragedy, too. Imagine what this man will do when he comes

registered address. The books will be closed for the transfer of stock from October 23 to November 1, 1909, both dates inclusive. Stockholders who have changed their addresses since date of last dividend will please notify the company.

HARRY G. MEEM,  
Treasurer.

Oct 14, 1921

what this boy will think the first time he sees a girl in a diaphane gown, chewing gum, and surmounted with a two-layer head dress, a massive pompadour, built up a foot or so and topped with a cart wheel hat.

Doubtless in the long vigils of the north his father has told him of the beauties of women, their grace their

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simplistic, the compelling charm of them. And then to be confronted with the reality! The situation is too broadly comic for Gilbert, who would make a fantasy out of the ignorance of the poor boy. O, Henry, knowing man and woman at first hand is the one to send out the requisite farce.

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ter. It will emphasize, through the warped, one-sided nature of the boy, how essential it is for the well-rounded life to have the association, the development, of the other sex.—Cleveland Leader.

The Lanston Monotype Machine Company will be held at the Hotel Fleischmann, Alexandria, Va., at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday, the 28th day of October, 1909, for the purpose of considering an increase in the Capital Stock of the Company to \$10,000,000, and increasing the par value of the stock from \$20.00 to \$100.00 per share and transacting such other business as may properly

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—Fearing detection, after she had stolen a diamond ring from the hand of a dead woman, Miss Margaret Landers swallowed it, she admitted today, when questioned by the police. Miss Landers was alone with the body but a few minutes.

Transfer books will be closed on October 15th, 1908, at twelve o'clock noon, and will be reopened on November 3d, 1908, at ten o'clock a. m.

By order of the Board of Directors.  
W. ARTHUR SELLMAN, Secretary.  
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**COULDN'T SEE IT.**

His Wife—"I ordered a bathing suit yesterday, and it has just arrived. Do you want to see it?"

Her Husband—"No, I guess not. If it is anything like the one you had

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last season there isn't much to see."—Chicago News.

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## THE HAIR AHEAD.

"There are times when I envy my hair," remarked the man who had failed in seventeen different business enterprises.

# Bankers

"Because why?" queried his wife.  
"Because it is coming out on top,"  
explained he of the many failures.—  
Chicago News.

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